MICHIGAN WIC PROGRAM

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WIC VENDOR MINIMUM STOCK REQUIREMENTS EFFECTIVE 3-1-11

See the WIC Food List to determine the specific WIC authorized brands, types and sizes.

Only those items listed on the most recent WIC Food List will be counted toward the mandatory minimum stock requirements listed below.

A WIC VENDOR MUST HAVE, AT A MINIMUM, THE FOLLOWING FOOD ITEMS IN STOCK AT ALL TIMES:

CATEGORY	TYPE OR BRAND	QUANTITY
INFANT FORMULA	CONCENTRATE: 13 oz can concentrate liquid Enfamil Premium. POWDER: 12.5 oz can powder Enfamil Premium OR 12 oz can powder Gentlease LIPIL.	12 Cans Concentrate AND 12 Cans Powder
INFANT FRUIT	 4.0 oz glass jar only – Brand must be Beechnut, Gerber, Meijer, Natures Goodness or Parents Choice. - Single or mixed fruit. No Organic, no additives or DHA. See WIC Food List for more information. 	36 Jars
INFANT VEGETABLES	 4.0 oz glass jar only – Brand must be Beechnut, Gerber, Meijer, Natures Goodness or Parents Choice. Single or mixed vegetable. No Organic, no additives or DHA. See WIC Food List for more information. 	36 Jars
INFANT CEREAL	8 oz box or carton, dry infant cereal w/o fruit. – Must be Beechnut, Gerber or Natures Goodness.	6 Boxes
FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES	 Any combination of fresh fruits and vegetables except those listed in the WIC Food List as not authorized. Must carry at least 2 varieties of fruits and 2 varieties of vegetables. Varieties of fruit within the same family count as one variety. For example: white grapes and red grapes both count only as grapes. For WIC minimum stock purposes, Lemons and Limes count as one variety. Minimum requirement is measured as the total amount of all fresh fruits and vegetables on hand. Not authorized: No white potatoes. No fruit baskets, party trays or vegetable trays. No herbs or spices. 	\$25 Retail Value OR 10 Pounds Vendors that prefer to only meet the 10 pound requirement must make equipment available to weigh fruits and vegetables.
MILK	Any brand of Whole, Reduced Fat (2%), Low Fat (1/2%, 1%) or Fat Free (skim). Not Allowed: No flavored milk, glass bottles, organic milk, Vitamite, Guernsey, or value added milk.	4 Gallons Whole Milk AND 8 Gallons Reduced Fat, Low Fat or Fat Free Milk
CHEESE	Any brand U.S. made real cheese in the types listed in the WIC Food List. Must be pre-packaged in 8 or 16 oz sizes only. No other sizes allowed. Must be labeled with type of cheese, weight and price. Not authorized: No sliced cheese except American and no individually wrapped American slices. See WIC Food List for other types of cheese that are not WIC approved.	5 Pounds
EGGS	Any brand small, medium or large white eggs only. Grade A or AA	5 Dozen
CEREAL	At least 6 brands in 11 oz boxes or larger only. At least 3 of the 6 brands must be whole grain. See WIC Food List for approved brands of cereal, including those that are whole grain.	12 Boxes
BREAD	Any combination of 16 oz loaves of whole grain bread and/or 16 oz packages of tortillas. See WIC Food List for approved brands of bread and tortillas.	6 Loaves and/or packages
JUICE	At least 2 flavors in 64 oz bottles AND 2 flavors in 46 oz cans or bottles or 48 oz bottles, or 11.5 – 12 oz concentrate. See WIC Food List for approved brands, flavors and sizes.	10 bottles 64 oz AND 5 bottles of 46 oz, 48 oz or 11.5-12oz conc.
PEANUT BUTTER	18 oz jar only. Any brand or type (smooth, crunchy, extra crunchy) except those listed in the WIC Food List as not authorized.	4 Jars

Vendors are strongly encouraged to stock as many varieties of WIC approved foods as possible. The following items must be made available upon request: Infant meat, tuna, pink salmon, brown rice, 15-16 oz canned beans, dry peas or beans, soy beverage, lactose reduced milk, evaporated milk, non-fat dry milk.